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ALSTON

Mrs. G. E. Lawrence and sister, Mrs. Archibald, accompanied by Edith Williams, spent a few days in Banff last week.

We regret to report that Mr. George Reath is a patient in a Calgary hospital. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Lorraine Syme, teacher of Alston intermediate school, has good reason to be proud of the results obtained by the pupils who wrote the Grade IX departmental exams. The four girls of the class passed with "A" standing and the three boys with a "B" standing.

Molly Callaghan has returned home after spending two weeks in Champion.

The crops being harvested in the Alston district are not up to earlier expectations, but it is estimated the district yield for wheat will be 20 to 25 bushels per acre.

Myrtle Callaghan was a patient of the Vulcan Hospital last week where she had her tonsils removed.

Miss Marian Munro accompanied by Miss Helen Frame, of Calgary, were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Munro.

This week Molly Callaghan enters the Holy Cross to begin a nurse's training.

MAYVIEW

Visitors to Calgary for the Labor Day Model "T" races include Mr. J. Stein and Melba; Mr. Neil McDonald and Mrs. L. F. Richardson.

Miss Patricia Heal of Calgary was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Snow last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Fulton of Black Diamond, and Mrs. Pearl Brownlee and family, of Foremost, were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Fulton.

Mrs. Pearl Brownlee and children, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fulton to Calgary over the week-end.

Miss Ruth Nafziger of Calgary is spending her holidays at her home in the district.

Mrs. E. Plourd suffered a painful burn last Saturday morning when a pan of boiling water overturned on her leg. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Doney of Edmonton were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fulton. Miss Margaret Plourd spent a few days at Barons last week and was accompanied home Saturday night by her sister, Mrs. Ralph Stager, who remained for the week-end.

Mr. Jack McLean, accompanied by his niece Miss Jessie Sinclair of Calgary, were district visitors over the holiday week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Richardson and son Ralph were Saturday visitors to Calgary and were accompanied home by Miss Marjorie Corner and Miss Nora Richardson, who remained for the long week-end.

Mrs. Merden Fisher and two daughters, of Longview, were visitors one day last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Love.

The Sunshine Social Club were hostesses at a "Welcome Home Party" held recently at the Red Cross school in honor of F/L Chas. Fulton, who recently returned from overseas. The evening was enjoyably spent in dancing. During the supper hour Charles was presented with a gift by Mrs. J. Smith, on behalf of those present. He then thanked his friends in a few well-chosen words, remarking how pleasant it was to be home again. Following an established custom, the guest of honor as then presented with a delicious cake which he was required to cut and pass around to the gathering.

ENSIGN

Miss Yvonne Bellinger of Springfield, Mass., has returned to her home there after visiting at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. N. Flebotte.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Barker and Donna were Calgary visitors on Thursday.

Mrs. G. Eamor was a visitor to Claresholm last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Campbell.

Holidaying with Mrs. H. Parker is her granddaughter, Miss Arlene Barker of Brant.

Miss Edna Maisey of Calgary, was a week-end guest at the home of Mrs. L. Jackson.

P. O'Dwyer, Mrs. Boyd and Jim O'Dwyer were Calgary visitors last Friday.

Mrs. G. Nelson and Helen are Calgary visitors this week.

Buy in Vulcan whenever possible.

EASTWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Art Manville and family from Longview were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Goldthorpe over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McKenzie and family from Carseland were district visitors on Sunday.

Mr. William Turner from Fort William is visiting with his sister, Mrs. Syd Cockwill Sr., after having spent several years down east.

Mrs. A. Oldfield, Miss Grace Cockwill, Mrs. Ed. Richardson and Mrs. Syd Cockwill Jr. all motored to Calgary last Tuesday.

LAC Webber from Rivers, Man., is home with his parents on a 30-day leave.

Several carloads from this district motored to Queenstown last Friday night to attend the wedding dance of Mr. and Mrs. Pat King-Smith. Mrs. King-Smith was formerly Miss Nancy Holloboff who taught the Bualo school.

BERRYWATER NEWS

Miss Marjorie Love has returned to her home after spending the summer months relieving on the staff of the Vulcan hospital.

Mrs. W. Oldfield spent a few days in Calgary last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Smith and Betty were business visitors to Calgary on Thursday last week, when Betty made arrangements to attend Crescent Heights high school for the coming term.

Brooks Stampede visitors were: Mrs. R. Adams and Norma; Mr. and Mrs. L. Palmer and Johnny Palmer; Mr. W. Speer and Weneva; Orville and Allan Speer, and others. The Palmer and Speer boys took an active part in the events.

Miss Marjorie Mensinger of Grande Prairie is a visitor at the B. J. Mensinger home.

Miss Joyce Kaiser of Calgary was a recent guest at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. Speer.

Wedding Bells

CORMACK — HAWKINS

Central United Church, Calgary, was the scene of a wedding of wide interest at 5 p.m. August 31st when Mildred E. Hawkins, daughter of Mrs. Maude Hawkins and the late Mitchell Hawkins of Vulcan became the bride of Mr. Alexander Cormack of New Westminster, B.C. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. W. Dalgleish.

The bride wore an ivory satin gown with yoke of ecru lace and floor-length veil caught in a halo of orange blossoms. She carried a cascade bouquet of white gladioli centred with red roses. Her only ornament was a pearl necklace, a gift of the groom. She was given in marriage by Mr. Reginald F. Jennings.

The maid of honor, Miss Mary Klein, was tastefully dressed in pale blue sheer and carried a bouquet of pink carnations and blue cornflowers while the bridesmaid, Miss Nancy Burke, wore a gown of pale yellow sheer and carried yellow carnations and blue cornflowers. Mr. Claire Haynes was best man and Sto. 1 Class Harry Hawkins and Sapper Frank Coverdale ushered. During the signing of the register Miss Margaret McIlroy sang "Because."

A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Jennings, 1640 Westmount Road. The bride and groom received the guests assisted by the bride's mother, Mrs. M. Hawkins, who wore a navy sheer dress and a corsage of sweetheart roses, and the groom's mother, Mrs. A. Cormack who wore a black suit with white accessories and a corsage of sweetheart roses. The toast to the bride was proposed by Mr. Ansley King and replied to by the groom. The bride's table was centred with a three-tier wedding cake flanked with pink and white sweetpeas and tall tapers.

After a honeymoon in Banff, the bride and groom will travel to Norman Wells, N.W.T. where they will make their home.

For travelling the bride wore a lime green dressmaker suit with gold and brown accessories and a corsage of gardenia and forget-me-nots.

Out of town guests were Mrs. Alex. Cormack of New Westminster, B.C., Mrs. Maude Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Orchard, Miss Agnes Engen, Mr. Ben Dann and Miss Mildred Dann of Vulcan; Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. David Macdonald, Mr. and Mrs. Ansley King, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon White of High River; Mr. and Mrs. Claire Haynes of Claresholm.

Vulcan Swimming Pool Drive For Funds Away To Splendid Start

Ready Response to Appeal; Over \$3,000.00 contributed in first week of Drive; \$7,000 more needed to reach minimum objective.

With the drive for funds for the Vulcan and District Memorial Swimming Pool barely underway, it is found that the project is receiving a ready response and the fund is off to a good start. Donations to date have been largely volunteered, and indications are that little canvassing will be necessary. Citizens in town and district recognize it as a very worthwhile project and are quite willing to give it their support in tangible form.

While it is away to a good start, the objective, \$10,000 is quite large and will require the support of every citizen, whether the amount is large or small. Make YOUR donation today.

Placards indicating where donations may be made are displayed in most business places in Vulcan, or see any member of the Lions Club and make your donation direct.

In addition to the temporary receipt issued at the time, a permanent receipt will be mailed by the President and Secretary of the Lions' Club. Donations are deductible from income tax.

Donations to Date

Name	Cash Donations	Pledges
Bon's Billiard Room	\$ 2.00	
Marble Coffee Shop	\$ 20.00	
Mitchell's Drug Store	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
Boyd McKay	\$ 25.00	
Wolfe's Hardware	\$ 25.00	
Mervin McIntyre	\$ 50.00	
Yeh Long	\$ 5.00	
New Club Cafe	\$ 20.00	
Chester Rea	\$ 25.00	
Dr. G. M. Carson	\$ 25.00	
B. J. Mensinger	\$ 100.00	
F. M. Anderson	\$ 100.00	
Roger Middleton	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00
C. H. (Bud) Andrews		\$ 100.00
Keith Elder		\$ 100.00
J. C. Hanna		\$ 25.00
C. Brodick	\$ 1.00	\$ 12.00
Robert Simington		\$ 5.00
Robert Brown		\$ 10.00
John B. Nadeau		\$ 15.00
Eileen Fitzpatrick		\$ 5.00
Ross Walker	\$ 25.00	
M. G. Lyman	\$ 25.00	
Harry Adams	\$ 50.00	
Oliver Reid	\$ 2.00	\$ 22.00
Mrs. B. McDonald	\$ 5.00	
C. R. Robson	\$ 100.00	
L. Findlay	\$ 25.00	
Vulcan Advocate	\$ 25.00	
D. McAfee	\$ 15.00	
G. A. Sales	\$ 25.00	
R. and S. Motors	\$ 50.00	
A. G. Saxby	\$ 25.00	
C. J. Robinson	\$ 25.00	
Roy Walker	\$ 25.00	
G. A. Dahl		\$ 100.00
Vulcan Lions' Club	\$1,000.00	
Chas. Northcott	25.00	25.00
Chas. Fleming	50.00	
Rube Elves	25.00	
Con Kettleson	25.00	
Dr. Almond	20.00	
Imperial Hotel	100.00	
Jas. Kennedy	10.00	
Carl Haggblom	5.00	
Chas. Sherwood	25.00	
G. C. Collier	25.00	
Jack Moir, Cardston	11.00	
Jack Hurst		25.00
D. Neville		15.00
White Rose Service Station	5.00	
F. O. Soder	2.00	
R. H. Gering	10.00	
Scales Motors	50.00	
J. E. Larson		100.00
Oscar Thorsten		15.00
Fran's Cafe		15.00
H. LaRoche	10.00	
W. H. Turley	50.00	
Total to date	\$3,017	

The drive for funds is being launched, with the hope that the objective will be raised by the end of September. Needless to say members of the Lions Club are as busy as the rest of you and it is doubted very much if they could canvass everyone. For this reason everyone is being asked to make their donation to any member of the Vulcan Lions Club, rather than wait for a canvasser. We know you are as anxious as they are that this project be an overwhelming success. Members of the Lions Club will issue temporary receipts are: Merv. McIntyre, J. Mitchell, Oliver Reid, M. Miller, Fred Anderson, A. Sales, A. Col-

lier, H. Nault, J. E. Larson, R. Buehler, J. Hurst, L. Leverington, Bud Andrews, Boyd McKay, J. L. Findlay, Ross Walker, V. Cagat, Chas. Northcott, Harry Graham, Stan Scales, Dr. Nichol, G. Dahl, C. Layman, F. Mensinger, C. J. Robinson, A. Simcoe and C. Snow.

A permanent receipt signed by the President and secretary of the Vulcan Lions Club will be mailed to all donors.

For those who wish to delay their donation or to pay it in weekly or monthly instalments over a period of time may sign a pledge form which will be carried by all canvassers.

Obituary

ALFRED ROEBUCK

Funeral services for Alfred Roebuck, prominent old-timer of the Cleverville district, were conducted from the Vulcan United Church on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 5, Rev. J. L. Wright officiating.

Born at Moin Bridge, Yorkshire, Eng., on January 20, 1878, Mr. Roebuck moved to Canada in 1905, homesteading the Cleverville district, where he resided until his death with the exception of some time spent at the Pacific coast during the past five years.

He flew from the coast this summer, and after renewing acquaintances in the Vulcan and Champion districts he went to Edmonton to visit with his daughter, Mrs. Watts, and it was there that he passed to rest.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. J. T. (Margaret) Watts, at Edmonton and Mrs. Wm. (Gertrude) McCann of Eckville; two sons, Edward and Henry, both of Vulcan; one brother, Theodore, of Champion, thirteen grandchildren and a host of friends. He was predeceased by his wife in 1932.

Deceased was quite active in the district and was a councillor in the M.D. of Royal for three years as well as being one of the oldest members of Vulcan Lodge No. 74, A.F. & A.M. The lodge assisted in the funeral services. Snodgrass Funeral Home had charge of the arrangements.

Pallbearers were D. McQueen; Dr. Carson; F. Bennett; J. Hagerman; E. G. McPherson and J. Dorch.

Loss Foreseen Barley Embargo

Line elevator companies have forwarded to the Dominion Government urging that barley growers be compensated for financial losses which they will suffer as a result of the embargo placed on barley exports by the feeds administrator. Cecil Lamont, president of the North West Line Elevators Association called to attention of the government the resultant loss to the growers of barley of the premium of approximately 40¢ per bushel which the U.S. market shows over the Canadian ceiling price. It is also indicated that the farmer will lose the malting premium on a large quantity of malting barley now produced in Western Canada for export.

The North West line elevators association recommended that barley producers be advised immediately as to the steps proposed by the government to compensate the grower for the financial losses.

An agricultural department official said on Monday that the export embargo placed on barley on Thursday was imposed because barley was needed in Canada. Placing of this embargo was the first step to insure sufficient supply in Canada to protect the livestock program. If farmers suffered any loss, the adjustment would in all probability be arranged.

Recommends Debt Cancellation

A recommendation was made to the U.S. Congress by President Truman that the more than \$42,000,000 lend lease aid given by the U.S. to its allies, should mainly be written off the books. The administration gave as its reasons for this recommendation the belief that it had received three things more important than a dollar basis settlement. They were:

1. Victory over Germany and Japan.
2. More than \$5,600,000,000 through last March in reverse lend lease.
3. A commitment from all nations receiving lend lease to join in organizing post-war International trade on a basis of lowering barriers.

Lend lease operations were halted on VJ day. Officials feel that there was no thought of asking for sizeable 'return in kind' requests which have been talked for some time. Such action would only mean adding to the surplus of munitions and war materials already building up in the U.S.

Canada ranks third among the United Nations in naval power and fourth in air power. During the war, Canada became fourth largest supplier of war equipment, third trading nation and second export nation among the United Nations.

Ladies Auxiliary Hold Meeting

A splendid meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion was held on Thursday evening, when many members availed themselves of the opportunity of bringing a friend. The business session was cut short so that the members could hold their scheduled auction sale. This was a feature of the evening, with each member donating something to sell. The sale served a double purpose, adding as it did a considerable sum to the Auxiliary treasury, and also providing much amusement. Later two interesting contests were arranged and a sing-song held. Lunch was served at the conclusion of a most enjoyable evening.

The following is an interesting letter received by the Auxiliary from F/L Bob Marshall, who was in India at the time of writing:

Dear Ladies:

While in Vulcan on embarkation leave not so many months ago I was told of the wonderful service your organization was giving to our troops overseas. This grand service has come to me now in reality, through your gifts of parcels and cigarettes to me here in India and Burma. I have received three parcels of cigarettes and certainly appreciated them. I know you get letters of thanks from all the boys and I would like to thank you for myself for these grand gifts. Knowing that we have such fine people and organizations behind us at home makes our job in operational theatres much easier.

Since leaving Vulcan I have done considerable travelling through England, Scotland, France, Sardinia, Egypt, Persia, Arabia, India and Burma and I can honestly say I am glad I am a Canadian and live in Canada.

It has been a wonderful experience and I shall never forget it, but it is too bad that we had to have a war to enable us to take such a trip.

I have spent most of my short time overseas in India and Burma and can't really say that I like it, although I have enjoyed my visits through Karachi, Bombay, Delhi, and Calcutta. The Indian people themselves are certainly a colorful people and one is amazed at their peculiar dress, customs, and religions. They have beautiful temples and have quite large modern buildings. Souvenirs are plentiful and it is an experience to go through an Indian bazaar or market as we call them. I could write pages on my experiences here, but my space is short.

My time is also running short as I have been recalled to England on an instructional job. I can't say I am sorry to go back, but there are certainly many interesting sights to see here.

I have met numerous Canadians and did have the good fortune to run into one of our own local boys in the person of Bob Saunders. We had quite a chat and it made me feel good to meet someone from home. He is, I believe, on his way home by now, or shortly will be.

In closing I want to thank you again for your kindness and hope the war will be definitely over soon so that we can all get back to a normal life, our families and home. Good luck and thanks.

Sincerely,
Bob Marshall

NATIONAL CLOTHING COLLECTION

Vulcan and district will take an active part in the National Clothing Collection sponsored by Canadian United Allied Relief Fund, on behalf of the U.N.R.R.A. The drive for clothing will be staged all across Canada from October 1 to 20.

The list of those on the Vulcan committee was carried in the last issue of The Advocate. A further meeting will be held shortly when plans for an organized drive will be completed. In the meantime, keep it in mind and set aside anything you may have.

Articles desired are: Suits, men's, women's and children's; odd coats, skirts, trousers; women's dresses, blouses and aprons, men's, women's and children's overcoats; jackets in all sizes, scarves and shawls, footwear, tied firmly in pairs by laces or pieces of string, and blankets.

The following committee was appointed for the National Clothing Drive at a meeting held Monday night: W. D. Allan (chairman), Mr. Albert Collier, Mr. C. R. Robson, Mrs. L. E. Richardson, Mrs. T. B. LeBeau, Mrs. W. S. Hill and Mr. G. C. Collier, of Vulcan and Mrs. A. J. Maisey, of Kirkcaldy. More information will be published regarding this drive when instructions are received from Ottawa.

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COMPULSORY TRAINING

IN a recent symposium on the question of compulsory military training, the Financial Post has explored representative public opinion from all walks of Canadian life.

There seems general unanimity in the belief that compulsory military training would make better and healthier citizens, if the proper course were pursued. A much voiced opinion coming from military and civilian ranks alike is that there must be revolutionary improvement in training methods in order that good may be realized. "The drill sergeant type must be replaced" says a well known major "by well paid personnel graduated from special university training courses. There must be emphasis on the national aspect, and on health, poise, moderation, good citizenship. The old barrack-square brain-numbing stuff must be relegated to minor role." A prominent business man adds to this: "Men must be given incentive, and shown that their time is not wasted. They could be trained in military trades, thus adding to their own resources and providing useful men for emergencies."

Harold Long of the Lethbridge Herald sees development of certain of Canada's resources as one de-

sirable phase of the term of compulsory training. He says: "Canada's northland, highways, forests, and water resources would benefit greatly through training of young engineers and workers in training. Properly conceived and executed, youth in training could remake Canada in the next half century. These youths would know their Canada better."

Almost all whose opinion is asked seem to feel that the development of national spirit and a knowledge of Canada, are supremely important aims of any training course. Some suggest troop movement across Canada, similar to that which has prevailed during the war. It is suggested that the French and English speaking races be brought together more closely.

P. J. Philip, Ottawa correspondent for the New York Times, raises a doubtful voice when he says: "None of the English-speaking nations ever imposed compulsory training in peacetime, and yet their armies proved more enterprising and enduring in war than any of the trained conscript armies of Europe. France invented compulsory service in its modern form and the Germans who perfected it, have perished by it. In the mystery of human relations it would seem that the power to maintain conscript armies in peacetime is too great to be safely trusted even to good government."

Elmore Philpott also interjects a warning note when he says: "Nothing could be so disastrous for the world as a concealed armament race amongst the victors of the recent war. The aim should be a world police army responsible to electors of all countries."

There is always the overhanging thought that if all nations adopt compulsory military training, there will be little relative advantage in "preparedness." But such training could bring immediate peace-time returns if development of natural resources, as Mr. Long suggests, were made a part of the disciplinary training.

THE TOURIST IS RIGHT

IN the daily press with some frequency may be noticed letters commenting in somewhat critical spirit on service available at widely advertised summer resorts. It is almost inevitable that labor shortage and other shortages of the war years would account for the slump in the "up and coming" service that the tourist expects from resorts which depend almost entirely for existence on the summer trade. But unfavorable impressions do linger in memory and now that gas rationing is removed, those seeking comfortable holiday spots are going to have choices farther afield. They are going to go where service, facilities and a general spirit of welcome are the best. Tourist centres can no longer afford merely to tolerate the cash customers. They must put forth effort, even at the cost of overtime hours, to make the most of their short revenue-producing period.

For one thing there seems to be a serious breakdown at some resorts between bureaus of information, and the people who have accommodation available. Glowing advertisements proclaim scenery and accommodation for all, but too often the traveller can get none of the advertised accommodation. Perhaps a house-to-house canvass will eventually bring him roof over his head, but he should not be obliged to spend his holiday time in this exasperating pursuit. Surely it is not too much to expect that any

Bureau of Information live up to its name, carrying specific data on all housing of the village, the rates charged, and what is available from day to day and for how long. Every renter in the village should co-operate in keeping this service up to the minute, for his own sake, as well as for the transient tourist and for the sake of the present and future reputation of the resort. An efficient central office to which inquiring visitors may go is a first requisite of any resort seeking public patronage.

There are also much discussed question of food prices, restaurant service, higher charges for meals served after certain hours. These are all debatable, and probably in most instances conform to price ceilings and what the law allows. But generally this aspect of the situation could be improved, and may have to be improved if continued popularity is to be enjoyed.

Altogether there is too often an independent "Take it or leave it" attitude which is a direct consequence of the abnormal rush in recent years. But before a great while the old cash customer, so badly brow beaten in war years, will be regaining something of his old importance. It is true he can be an awful nuisance, but when he is on holidays he is in spending humor. And the resort which gives him the best and most obliging service at reasonable rates is going to get his patronage.

was an associate—not an ally. They are stepping in where Britain left off. Their days of isolation are gone just as Britain's passed, a few hundred years ago after men like Pym and Hampden logical ancestors of Senator Borah and Senator Johnson had become heroes and patriots because they refused to pay ship money.

Her world grew larger because she sailed where never a ship had sailed and founded many a noble state. It involved her in imperialism and world politics. The United States is involved now because, thanks to rapid transit, the world has grown smaller. They embarked on an imperialistic course as a result of their war with Spain and are involved now in world politics just as irretrievably as Britain.

For many years the United States and Canada saved millions annually because Britain was mistress of the seas. There was no lease-lend about it. She pulled the Atlantic without cost to or thanks from America. (In 1913 when a Canadian government sought to contribute three vessels of the Dreadnaught class to the British navy, the proposal was defeated and the gentleman who is now Prime Minister rejoiced because the ships were to be used to fight Germany). From now on Britain will accept condominium with the United States and Canada over our adjacent seas. The gain is hers.

Canada loses so many chances of getting in ahead of the United States. There the War Information Board has asked to be demobilized. Our boys should have got their application in first. If they could find no reason for such a request they could have offered the excuse that they were not needed.

A recording of his speech welcoming the Germans into Norway was reproduced in court in the trial of Quisling. Peace hath her atrocities not less repulsive than war.

The victorious nations will now have to tackle the problems of unemployment whereas there is no lack of occupation in the defeated countries.

When deGaulle was in Ottawa, wonder if he put this query to the Prime Minister: "How come you recognized Petain when I was under sentence of death by him. Did you think then that I and not he was the traitor?"

It was surprising to find the C.C.F. leader setting the pace in Canada for aid to Britain. He has not been known as an ardent friend of Britain but maybe it is different now that she has a Labor government. Maybe too it indicates a resumption of team play with Mr. King. The latter will have to take action in aid of Britain and it may have seemed politic to make Mr. Bracken tag in behind. In such case Mr. King would have a solid English following and he who has had to dance to French music may take a sardonic pleasure in making the French dance to his music, or go their lonely way where they can do no harm to him.

The report of the board that investigated the unpreparedness of the American fleet at Pearl Harbor disclosed that Roosevelt had warned the Admirals that the Japanese might attack suddenly and without warning. It is a pity he did not pass along his suspicion to Ottawa. It might have prevented the Hong Kong expedition and thus saved many Canadians from death or imprisonment.

Any evangelist will tell you there would be no need for re-conversion if we had not been back-sliding.

Stalin has no official connection with the Communists but he is the only man they will obey. It's all the same to them whether the command is Quick March or About Turn. They prefer Left Turn but will obey a Right Turn from him, and it matters not whether they are Chinese or Canadian Communists—they pay fealty to him alone.

BACKERS OPTIMISTIC

The backers of the Mercury-Mill City 1, south Turner Valley well, are optimistic about its chances. It is at 6,070 feet, within a few hundred feet of its objective, and is logging about 50 feet higher than the nearby Frontier 1, which came in in 1938 at 7,000 barrels per day, the largest in Canada. The well is in 10 of 16-18-2W5, at the east edge of the South end. If it is a success it will no doubt stimulate the drilling of several more wells in that area.

FOR SALE—1937 Ariel 600 Side Valve Motorcycle, just over hauled and in very good condition. Good tires. Cheap for cash \$250.00 Apply Merle J. Smith, Box 12, Vulcan.

FOR SALE—Quantity of Out Bundles Phone 1807, Z. C. Deal 3-c

FOR SALE—1936 Ford School Bus, will accommodate about 25 pupils. Phone Scales Garage, No. 48, Vulcan. 3-p

FOR SALE—No. 11 L.H.C. Combine; lots of good repairs on it. Phone 615, Vulcan. 3-c

FOR SALE—Fresh milk cow, Jersey, TB tested, 4 yrs. old. J. M. Williams, sec. 35-15-25, Kirkcaldy.

FOR SALE—Round Oak Chief Cook Stove, in very good repair. Apply Jim Agnew, Vulcan. 2p

FOR SALE—Dinette Suite, Circular Heater; Chicken House, 12x22 ft. Apply J. P. O'Connell, C.P.R. station, Vulcan.

FOR SALE—Mason and Rische Piano, in good condition. Phone 908, Champion.

FOR SALE—Two No. 11 L.H.C. Combines; 1929 Chev. 1½ ton truck; 12 ft. Minneapolis Moline Combine, new; Two 15 ft. Swath ers. Apply Mueller Bros., phone 22, Champion.

CARPENTER WORK and general contracting; alterations, cabinet work a specialty. Apply R. Scales, Room 5, at the Legion.

Slender Tablets are effective, 2 weeks' supply \$1; 12 weeks \$5 at Mitchell's Drug Store.

WANTED TO BUY—A few teams of gentle work horses for threshing. Apply Advocate office.

FOR EXCHANGE OR SALE—37 White Truck 1½ ton to 2 ton, 148 inch wheel base, new spare tire and new grain box. \$950. Write W. H. Lockerbie, 204 Anderson Apts., or phone W1182.

NOTICE—If the Ensign lady who was bidding on pair of Velour Curtains at Brant sale would call at the Advocate office, she may obtain same at reasonable fee.

IN MEMORIAM
F/S John James Lucas, R.C.A.F., who gave his life in a plane crash overseas, September 2, 1942.

Sad and lonely years have passed
Since one great sorrow fell
The shock we received that day
We still remember well
He bade no one a last farewell
He said goodbye to none,
The heavenly doors were opened wide,
And a loving voice said "Come."
A light is from our household gone,
A voice we loved is stilled,
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.
Ever remembered by mother, dad
and sister (Catherine of Armada),
and brothers Gordon and Willie
(still overseas).

VULCAN ANGLICAN CHURCH
Services Sunday, Sept. 9th (second Sunday in the month) 12.15 p. m. Sunday school re-opens. 7.30 p. m. Evensong and sermon.

THE UNITED CHURCH
Regular services of worship every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p. m. All are cordially welcome. Bring your visitors and friends and families.

HERE AND THERE

Ponoka is to have a 26-bed municipal hospital completed by 1946. Meatless days in restaurants start at 4 a.m. Tuesdays and Fridays.

An announcement under date of August 7 from the Dept. of Labor, Ottawa, rescinds the order which required employers to check on the standing of male employees for the purpose of ascertaining whether they were in good standing in regard to National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations.

Agricultural Dep't officials announced early this week that first of the farm duty soldiers from military headquarters in Alberta will help out harvesting in the province this week. The influx of farm helpers from the east may not be forthcoming, due to Ontario's late harvest.

Russia is securing battleships from Britain and U.S.A. which will make the Soviet sea-fighting force rank fourth in the world.

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Pertinent Topics

Discussed by H. C.

The world would laugh and jeer at Joe Louis if he should seriously charge that Mahatma Gandhi was trying to pick a quarrel with him with intent to assault, and the Russian press is doing something equally ridiculous when it accuses Turkey of stirring up strife with similar intent against Russia. It is the technique the Nazi press employed preparatory to a German attack upon a neighbor. No matter how weak and inoffensive that neighbor was it was charged with designs upon the then most mighty military power in Europe. It is disquieting to see the now mighty power in Europe adopting that tactic.

Smokey Smith, the V.C. winner, New Westminster got a draft for \$218 from a stranger in Johannesburg, S.A. It must have come from a Sept. for the accompanying letter is signed "Bonnie Doon." The draft is probably on one of the banks, which, with the bras were so extensively advertised by their loving friend Burns.

At the start, the Japs vowed they would fight for a hundred years if necessary. In less than four years they discovered it was not necessary. This early discovery is of more value than the split atoms so liable to result in the wreck of matter and the crash of worlds.

German Marshal Keitel says that Britain and France could have saved Europe from five years of carnage if they had shown firmness at the time of Munich when Germany was not strong enough to persist. It is a neat way of casting the blame upon others and there are wise people who favored appeasement until it failed who will use it as a whip to scourge Chamberlain. Keitel's words condemn only

Germany. Any criminal could escape the gallows if it were a valid plea to say "I would not have committed the crime if someone else was strong enough to stop me."

If Germany at that time was not strong enough to persist neither were Britain and France strong enough to insist. They had to take care to avoid being charged with precipitating a conflict. Even as it was they were charged with having started the war, and by whom? Mr. Molotov, if you please. To his credit he it said however that he is not indicting them now before any War Crimes Commission.

A former secretary says that Roosevelt's intention, after his term was over, was to start a newspaper which would contain no editorial—nothing but facts. He might have changed his mind, however after the newsprint situation eased when there would be space for editorials as well as facts. There are reporters who can narrate news in so tendentious a manner they might as well be editorializing and there are editors who can stick a heading on a perfectly veracious article that gives it an entirely different slant. One daily newspaper in central Canada is expert in that style of journalism.

The secretary of the Board of Evangelism and Social Service of the United Church, estimates that Canada's liquor bill for 1943-44 is \$342,900,000 as against \$181,000,000 in 1939. In estimating how much we drank by what it cost it should be pointed out that during that period we added a lot of water to the product and increased the price. What we were swallowing was not all liquor, but water, federal taxes and provincial profits. After showing that consumption increased after restrictions were imposed, the vigilant secretary wires Premier King his fears that lifting the ban will increase

the consumption.

especially in the matter of production but neglect to explain that in this war she benefitted by her experience in the other; that this one lasted almost two years longer than the other; and that Canada's population now is greater than it was then. Profiting by experience the United States also made a far better record in this war than in the other but the party in power will not boast about it because it is the same party that was in power during the other war.

Some American commentators, not in an unfriendly tone either, take for granted there are only two great powers—the U.S. and the U.S.S.R. with Britain an also ran but still a pretty fair third. It would be no disgrace if the country that played Horatius at the bridge should come out of it exhausted while those two countries that came in two years later emerge in sounder physical and financial condition. Britain, however, has wonderful recuperative powers.

She emerged exhausted from the wars of Napoleon and was the first to recover from them and from first world war. She is no longer mistress of the seas but that is no disadvantage because the price of admiralty runs high. This she will share henceforth with Canada and the United States who had the advantage of her protection for a century and more with little cost to themselves.

The United States in accepting primacy will have to do what Britain did. If war breaks they will have to jump in at the start. They cannot wait for two years as they did in 1914 and 1939 in the hope that Britain could win without. They will also have to finance their allies just as Britain did who never sent in her bills or looked upon her allies as defaulters. (In 1917-18 the U.S.

The Servicemen's Corner

By J. O. S.

The third group, which we have defined as those whose education has been disrupted by the war, is one of our most important, if we are to look for any security for our future. Fortunately the legislation effecting this group is quite simple, and the success of the adventure depends almost entirely upon the individual.

One of the most important points to remember is that you must make application and commence your education within fifteen months after discharge, unless you can furnish the department with some valid reason for not doing so. The regulation of fifteen months has been subject to some criticism and rightly so. There is a group of returned men and women whose experiences have been such as to delay their decisions as to their final occupations in life. This being the case there should be no good reason why they should be compelled to make a decision within fifteen months. This of course, does not apply to all men and women in this group, but more particularly to the younger service personnel who, due to the experiences of the service and lack of experience in our economic set-up, will not realize the importance of a profession or trade until they have had experience with the world. It also applies to those who have suffered mentally and physically, and as a result should not be called upon to make any hurried decisions, that they might regret at some future date, when it is too late. I am not criticizing these men and women for this condition, but merely pointing out that it would be for their benefit.

For those who cannot qualify for University entrance there is a pre-matriculation school in operation at the old No. 2 Wireless school in Calgary with admittance at any time. The length of time you are required to attend this school depends upon your educational standing, how long you have been away from school, and the amount of work you put into it.

Those who have attended University previously and have not completed their course may gain admittance, and although they

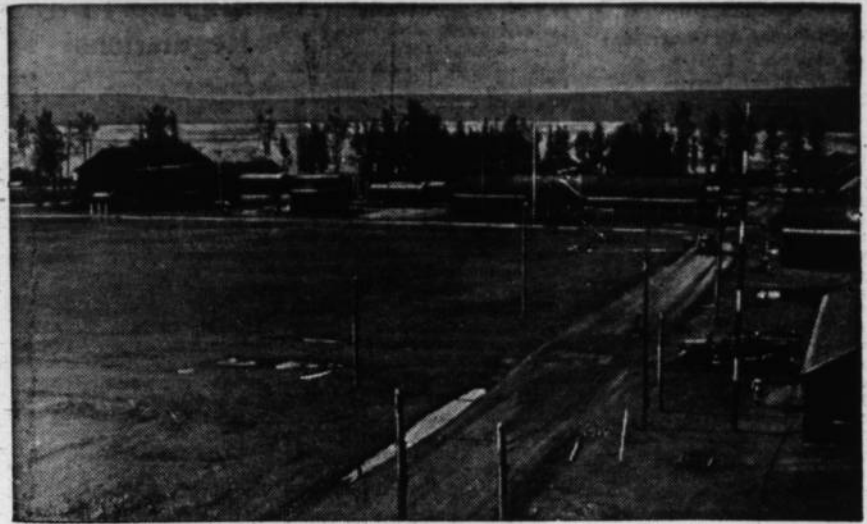
may be advised to take a refresher course in some subjects they can carry on almost immediately.

Post graduate work may be carried on for those who can qualify and desire to improve their standing.

The period that the department will finance you for, depends upon the length of service and academic standing. The regulation states month for month, but this may be extended in exceptional circumstances.

It will be to the public's advantage if all those who can qualify and have the desire for higher education take full advantage of this means of re-establishment. I do admit that there are certain parts or programs that are not quite adequate, but I do deplore as all persons should, the statement that these men and women are given too much.

The Canadian Legion is aware of all these problems and are doing their utmost to secure changes to the advantage of the returned men and women. I wish to thank all the organizations that are giving so much of their time to the servicemen's problems and hope they will continue their most important work. It is only by means of public discussion and the sentiment of the people that we are able to secure the changes which are and will be necessary.



Shown above is a view of the RCAF Station at Watson Lake on the North West Staging Route.

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The RETAILER

The retailer also plays a part. He must obtain coupons or other valid ration documents against every sale he makes of rationed foods—butter, sugar, preserves and, when meat rationing becomes effective again, meat. Otherwise, he cannot replenish his stocks. He must paste all coupons on gummed sheets and endorse each sheet with his name and address. If his monthly food sales total \$2,500 or more, he is required to operate a ration coupon bank account. He must also give valid ration documents or a ration cheque to his supplier for every purchase he makes of a rationed food.

The HOUSEWIFE



The housewife, too, has rationing work to do. She must know the validity and expiry dates of butter, sugar, preserves and, later, meat coupons so that she can make supplies of these foods last. She must know the coupon values of all rationed preserves and meats. She has to understand the sugar alternative of the preserves coupon in order to do as much home canning as possible and still have coupons for honey, syrups and other preserves. She must guard family ration books carefully and give up coupons for every purchase she makes of a rationed food.

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People Coming and Going; Some on Sick List: Lightning Disrupts Power Service for Two Days, Strange Hall Storm

We were amused the other day at a little incident at the local church. A week-day Bible school is being held at which some fine instruction is being given to the young. The bell rang for the morning session. Inside the church the organ played "Onward Christian Soldiers" and the teachers sang the old hymn while the students marched into church. It had rained the day before and at the back of the row, a couple of little Christian soldiers were vigorously scraping the mud off their soles and a couple of others were speeding from the far end of the street and would probably make it by the skin of their teeth. Still others, we suppose just wouldn't get there at all. It seemed to me that life is just like that. Some there are who in the opinion of others are going to have to scrape a lot of mud off their souls ere they enter the Pearly Gates, some will make it by the skin of their teeth and others, we suppose, just won't get there at all. Ah me, ah me.

According to information the houses planned by the National Housing Act are to cost \$6000 although it is thought that this cost can be reduced to \$5400. There is not one house in the entire village of Milo whose assessed value is \$5000. Is our standard too low or is the other too high? Strange to say we had always thought our residences were typical as far as appearance and value were concerned but perhaps we have a lot to learn.

Met an interesting chap the other day "Pat" Peterson, a salesman for the Colgate Soap Company. Conversation revealed that Pat's father was C.W. Peterson who for many years previous to his demise last year, was editor of the Farm and Ranch Review. This is a typically Western Weekly, founded in 1905 and today has a circulation of 90,000. Not even the cleansing qualities of Colgates or Palmolive can remove the smells and smudges of printer's ink from Pat. He is steeped in it and reeks of it.

Early risers on the morning of August 25 witnessed something that was a phenomena even in this land of drastic changes of temperature. The night had been sultry but with the dawn the mercury fell to 60 degrees. Suddenly a wind blew from the west and for five minutes or so the temperature recorded 80 degrees in spite of the fact that no sun was shining. The heat was so intense that one involuntarily thought of forest fires or atomic bombs. In fact one chap remarked "some day those Yoo scientists are going to bake us all." In less time than it takes to describe it the wave had passed and temperature was normal.

The lightning storm last week struck quite close to town and the village was without power for a couple of days. Seventeen fuses were blown at the local telephone office and communication was almost at a standstill. Following a particularly vivid flash of lightning a cloud of dust was seen arising from Jack Deitz's field but fortunately no livestock were near. On Sunday evening due to the absence of electric lights, a candle-light service was held at the Baptist church.

Arie Vooy's who spent a month in Spokane described the V.J. celebrations there. Apparently the town really went wild. Tons of paper from ticker tape to entire libraries littered the streets and broken bottles were a real hazard to traffic. This was some contrast to Milo. If there was any joy over the cessation of hostilities it was carefully repressed and the skirts of smugness were drawn tightly about the ankles of discretion. Anyone so far violating this code as to give vent to an exuberance of spirits was looked at in pity as though they were a trifle off balance. Perhaps it is the trend of the times but we seem to have arrived at the place where only two forms of celebration are in the situation later on is that less coal may be required now for industries and shipping on the Pacific coast, and if this huge demand from that area eases off it will make more coal available for civilian use. There is also reported to be considerably more strip mining in progress in certain sections of Alberta, and this serves quite a population within these areas. Brooks, Taber and surrounding districts are mentioned as areas in which the coal is being hauled by trucks for considerable distance. his too, should relieve districts more dependent on carload shipments from a distance.

Confusing reports as to mine activity, labor shortage and so on come from those in authority, so that the dealer can speak with little assurance on when he is to receive shipments and how much he can be assured of getting.

The past few winters have been fairly mild, so that there was no

serious shortage. This time last year the dealers were finding that the supplies on hand were dragging through lack of customer concern. There is no such complaint this year.

duled in, drink and dancing. Mrs. Roy Morseth and daughter of Calgary are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morseth. Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Umacheid include Miss Mary Beechman and Miss Elinor Way of Calgary.

W.O. I. Kenneth Campbell who has just returned from 18 months overseas is spending a week with his sister Mrs. John Bartsch Jr. Albert Quast, employed on the McKinnon ranch suffered a broken arm when he was thrown from a horse. The cinch broke and he was hurled over the horse's head. He will be in Bassano hospital for some ten days.

We are glad to see Kenneth Stumpf up and around again. He has been confined to bed with arthritis.

Arnold Winch is a patient at the General Hospital at Calgary, following an operation for appendicitis. The operation was performed by Dr. Banks of Calgary.

Mr. Skatrud of Tennessee is spending a week with his daughter Mrs. Bruce Crabb.

Mrs. J. R. Scott of Milo is spending a week visiting friends and relatives at Cayley.

Miss Elinor Holton has returned from visiting relatives at Calgary and Grassy Lake.

The Queenstown United Church Ladies' Aid met on Thursday at the Legion hall. Fifteen members and visitors were in attendance and plans were made for the renovating of the Queenstown church. Miss Valerie Taggart has accepted a position on the staff of the High River postoffice.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Cunningham are visiting the former's parents at Vegreville and later will go to the coast to join with Mrs. R. Mallet.

A belated hailstorm swept through the East Milo district. Toward Lomond the wind reached such proportions that stooked grain was hurled twenty feet into the air and a new granary that had just been constructed was completely destroyed.

Miss Ida Mai Yuill is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mellisen of Standard.

Some of the high school students are writing examinations at High River and Bassano in the subjects in which they failed during the July exams.

Harry Hawkins, Mrs. Hawkins and Mrs. Orchard are in Calgary attending the wedding of Miss Mildred Hawkins.

Mrs. Edward Beegan and her sister, Mrs. Grant, are visiting their parents at Blairmore. Mrs. Grant's husband is expected to arrive home shortly from overseas.

Jim Taylor who has been discharged from the army is shipping out the grain that has been stored for a number of years in the U.G. G. elevator.

James Mair of Calgary who is acting bank manager at Arrowwood in the absence of Mr. Bishop and Len Haydn who is working for the Searle Grain Co. at that point were visitors at the Beechman's.

Mrs. C. Lahd of Queenstown is visiting her mother Mrs. Service at Gleichen.

Mrs. Douglass Hepburn has left for the east where she will be the guest of her sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Baker prior to entering the Toronto Conservatory of Music on Sept. 4. She plans to study there awaiting her husband's return from overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Brinker and daughter Eileen, Mrs. C. Hepburn, spent Sunday at High River, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. M. Holmes.

Liquor Quota Increased

Corresponding Action Taken in Most Wet Provinces. Don't Break Windows, the Supply Might Last

Acting Premier Fallow announced on August 28 that the hard liquor ration would be increased from the meagre a month to 52 ounces. The joker in the deck is that its present price, quantity and the generous content of water will prevail and permit holders will be supplied just as long as the supplies are available. Mr. Fallow indicates that no additional Scotch whiskey would be available but anticipates a slight increase in rye. The present increase will have to be furnished from liquors other than whiskey and will consist mostly of gin. Permit holders who purchased their August and September quota this month will be allowed an additional 39 ounces in September. Beer quotas remain the same.

B.C., Manitoba and Ontario have also increased their quota to 52 ounces a month and Quebec will continue on its happy and sufficient allotment of 40 ounces every two weeks.

Migratory Birds Regulations

Hon. J. A. Glen, Minister of Mines and Resources has just released the regulations regarding migratory birds for the 1945 season. Open season on ducks, geese (other than Ross' goose) rails and coots.

In that part of Alberta lying north of the right bank of the Athabaska River going down stream to its intersection with the north boundary of township 72 and north of the north boundary of township 72 from the Athabaska River to its intersection with the interprovincial boundary between Alberta and Saskatchewan: From one hour before sunrise September 3 to one hour after sunset November 24.

Throughout the remainder of the Province of Alberta: From one hour before sunrise September 15 to one hour after sunset, December 15th.

Regulations also point out that no person shall sell, expose for sale, buy, trade or traffic in any migratory game bird at any time.

Migratory game birds killed during the open season may be possessed in Alberta at any time, but the onus of proof that the birds possessed were lawfully killed shall be on the person having the birds in his possession.

Hag Limits
Ducks, 20 in any day, of which not more than 10 shall be species other than Mallards; Geese, 5 in any day; Coots and Rails, 25 in any day; Wilson's Snipe, 5 in any day; and not more than 150 Ducks or more than 25 Geese, or more than 100 Rails and Coots in the aggregate, or more than 100 Wilson's Snipe in one season.

No one shall have in his possession at any time more than 60 ducks.

Forbidden
The use of an automatic (auto-loading) gun, or swivel or machine gun, or battery, or rifle, or shotgun loaded with single bullet, or any gun larger than number 10 gauge, or any weapon other than

Coal Orders in But Coal Short

Most Coal Users Have Orders in Early, But Supply Very Slow in Arrival

Users of coal in the district are not neglecting warnings to get their winter coal supply in early. But so far arrival of coal cars in the town has been very slow. Dealers say that stove coal is more easily available, but lump coal is very difficult to secure.

In some years in the past, the users have been negligent in placing their orders early, but no such charge can be laid this year. Scarcely had the need for steady fire died out last spring that they were trying to make provision for the coming winter.

Dealers have waited months for the supplies that have come in so far, and are very cautious in making promises for the future. But it is hoped that deliveries will speed up as the cold season approaches.

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a gun or off any aeroplane, powerboat, sailboat, or night-light, and shooting from any motor or wheeled vehicle, or a vehicle to which a draught animal is attached. The hunting of migratory game birds by the use or aid of baiting with grain or other artificial food is prohibited.

The shooting of migratory game birds earlier than one hour before sunrise or later than one hour after sunset is prohibited.

The penalty for violation of the migratory bird laws is a fine of not more than three hundred dollars and not less than ten dollars, or imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or both fine and imprisonment.

Lifting of rationing on shotgun shells will allow many hunters to enjoy hunting after a long lapse at that sport. Local dealers report a good supply and variety of shells which will be available to the public after August 31.



A cream separator, as well as a tractor and new machinery were purchased by W. S. Cowan from the proceeds of his first year's crop. A casualty at Dieppe, Cowan was established on his own farm under the Veteran's Land Act.

Those Who Face Famine

(Edna Jacques)

There are 100 million people in Europe who are in imminent danger of starving, unless we send food to them. These people are not just plain hungry . . . many are dying of starvation.

Forty-eight thousand acres of the best land in Holland was flooded just 17 days before the German surrender. This means that 50 per cent of the country is under salt water, some of it 60 feet deep. Starvation stares many Dutch people in the face . . . unless we send them food.

Farm lands stretching from the very beaches of Normandy to Belgium were shown with deadly mines

to slow up the Allied advance. It will take 10,000 men, working 10 years to de-mine France alone. That is a major reason why food is so very short there. This goes for almost every field in Poland, Belgium, Italy and in Germany itself.

Coastal waters, from the tip of Norway to Gibraltar, were also sown with mines to prevent invasion landings. This practically stopped the fishing trade. Minesweepers have been working to clear these waters but it all takes time . . . and hunger won't wait.

Because of the ravages of war, drought, lack of transportation, lack of fertilizers, insecticides and farm machinery, loss of stock and draft animals, Europe's food crop is likely to be the lowest of any year since the end of the first world war.

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Prov.-Federal Proposals

Some time ago premier returned home after the Dominion-provincial conference to consider proposals made. Amongst important proposals are the following:

Dominion to pay higher subsidies to the provinces on the basis of a minimum of \$12-per head of population as of 1941 census.

Provinces to withdraw completely from imposition of taxes on personal incomes, corporations and estates.

Minimum total Dominion subsidies to be \$138,000,000 compared with present provincial receipts from subsidies and taxes to be surrendered of \$125,000,000.

Dominion to pay whole cost of old age pension of \$30 a month to all persons over 70.

Dominion and provinces share 50-50 in cost of \$30 monthly pension to needy persons 65 and 70.

A joint Dominion-provincial health insurance scheme to be inaugurated by stages with provinces administering and adjusting to their own conditions and Dominion providing financial assistance.

Dominion to pay unemployment assistance to all employable unemployed not covered by unemployment insurance.

Provinces to remain responsible for relief of unemployables and self-employed persons who need relief.

Dominion to pay grants on provincial and municipal public works projects if they fit into a public investment timing program of using works to maintain full employment.

Clearer lines of demarcation for Dominion and provincial activities in surveying and development of resources to be drawn with Dominion undertaking all general and basic, surveys, mapping and research.

In natural resources promotion and development activities of the provinces Dominion to assist financially, wherever possible, by undertaking a specific phase of part of the work.

Sometimes a stroke of lightning consists of as many as 22 discharges which follow the same path and strike the same spot in such quick succession that they appear to be a single flash.

Wedding Bells

GINGRAS—CYR

At an early morning ceremony in St. Michael's Catholic church, Pincher Creek, Aug. 4, Vera Yvonne Cyr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dominic J. Cyr, exchanged marriage vows with Homer Albert Gingras, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Gingras of Brant, before Rev. Father Tardiff.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and wore a floor-length gown of white Jersey and net beneath her full length-veil which fell from a halo of orange blossoms. The groom's gift of a double strand of pearls was her only ornament, and a corsage of sweetheart roses in the shape of a crucifix with cascade of blue streamers completed her ensemble.

Miss Malvina Cyr was the bride's only attendant frocked in a gown of rose silk with a bouquet of pastel carnations.

Maurice Gingras, brother of the groom, was groomsman.

Mrs. Edna Nichols played the wedding music, and soloists were Miss Theresa Rouleau and B. Pelletier.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents where out-of-town guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Emil Gingras and daughter Jean and Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Gingras, Brant; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gingras, Taber; Mrs. Ronald Ward, Kathryn; Mrs. Vera Meynchuk, R. N., Yorkton, Sask.; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gough, Okotoks; Mr. and Mrs. William Terrill and son Jack, Twin Butte and Vernon White, Bellevue.

Mr. and Mrs. Gingras left later by motor to spend a honeymoon in the Okanagan Valley. Upon their return they will take up residence at Taber, Alta.

Hog Market Severely Cut

Alberta to See About One Million Fewer Hogs Than Last Year.

It is estimated by Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Mr. Longman that Alberta will market about 1,000,000 fewer hogs this year than in 1944. This would represent a gross loss of \$26,000,000 in farm



Back To School

Our work is aimed at serving farmers in the Prairie Provinces, and we have reached many hundreds of farmers through country schools. Practically every day we receive requests from teachers, students, or both, for some of our publications. This week, schools are opening all over the country. Many of the publications listed below will be helpful to our youthful readers in school studies. They may be obtained from Line Elevators Farm Service, Winnipeg, or through a Local Line elevator agent.

BULLETINS

Water Erosion of Soils in the Prairie Provinces and Its Control.

An Illustrated Guide to Prairie Weeds.

Ornamental Shrubs and Small Trees for the Canadian Prairies.

Field Crop Insects in the Prairie Provinces.

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revenue and also loss of a home market for about 20,000,000 bushels of feed grain at double the existing market values.

A 2,000,000 hog production program is a "reasonable and worthwhile objective" to play an important part in the future agricultural economy of the province, he said.



Cpl. Fred Topham, V.C., 1st Canadian Paratroop Battalion plays his German accordion for his nephew Bobby Topham.—Can. Army Photo.

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**Salvation Army's
H. Front Appeal**

Calls upon the Salvation Army for help in the solution of soldier rehabilitation problems have increased steadily since the end of the war in Europe and are still growing, according to Lieut.-Col. William Dray, Toronto, head of The Salvation Army Rehabilitation Department.

The Department helps solve the problems of veterans and of veterans' family groups. To carry on this work and also work of nearly 50 other social service and welfare activities, the Salvation Army's National Home Front appeal for \$1,500,000 starts in September.

"We have now in Canada seven key rehabilitation centres and in them life never has a dull moment with all the problems, many of them urgent, that come to us," said Colonel Dray. "We started our work of helping in the assimilation of war brides by establishing in England Canadian Wives' Clubs where lectures and demonstrations on life in Canada are given."

"Nearly 40,000 war wives and almost as many children are being brought to Canada in the movement now under way. Large numbers of these new families have nothing like a comfortable home to look forward to, so not all the con-

WILLING FEET

Beware the deadly sitting habit, Or, if you do, be like a rabbit Who keepeth ever on the jump By spring concealed beneath his rump.

A little ginger 'neath the tail Will oft for lack of brains avail; Fashew the dull and slothful seat, And move about on willing feet.

NEWS OF INTEREST

Many Canadian scientists worked on the development of atomic energy. A great many British scientists also work in Canada in this research.

General Crerar on his return declared that Canada was getting back better men than she sent overseas. They were better physically had been broadened by travel and were stronger in character.

ings to this new land are happy. New-in-laws are not invariably well-disposed. The Salvation Army across Canada is daily grappling with the problems presented by these new families.

"Individual soldiers who returned and are to return unattached also have problems outside of the scope of Federal, Provincial and Municipal rehabilitation schemes excellent as these schemes are, and the Salvation Army is helping in the solution of their problems."

The Atom Bomb

(Vetgreville Observer)

Thus, by slow degrees, the human race is preparing for its own destruction. Had German scientists discovered the atomic bomb before the war ended, the cities of Great Britain would have been laid waste from end to end of the country. The prospects of what may happen in a future war are enough to scare anyone to death—if his imagination gets to work too vividly.

Science has produced many things of the utmost benefit to mankind; but at the same time has also produced other things far from beneficial, for each new scientific discovery or invention seems to carry with it new perils. The casualty record of the automobile, for instance, is worse than that of war itself. If and when airplanes come into general use, new risks will be added to the doubtful joy of living at all.

On the whole, with all the "progress" made in the past half-century of science and invention, we are skeptical if people in general are really any happier than they were in the horse and buggy days.

Don't ask the Observer to explain anything about this atom stuff. We can't do it; and what is more, most scientists can't do it either, thank God.

**Haying Machine
Demonstration**

A demonstration of haying equipment was demonstrated at Lethbridge Experimental farm recently, with all the farmer of the countryside attending.

Demonstrated were a combination tractor sweep and tractor-sweep stacker which, on a conservative estimate, will stack 50 tons in a 10-hour day with one man on the stack, one on the sweep and one on the sweep stacker. The latter machine picks up the bunched hay and puts it anywhere on the stack that the stack-man wants it without the use of any other stacking equipment. It will build a stack any size and make it about 20 feet high.

The baler demonstrated was a three-man affair, one man on the tractor and two on the baler handling the tie wires. It is claimed for the baler that it will bale the hay when it is quite green if it is fairly dry, and that as a result a much better quality of hay, retaining more of the carotene and vitamins, can be harvested.

Experimental Farm officials are working on improvements to these haying devices.

Give generously to the Vulcan and District Memorial Swimming Pool to-day.

Playing safe with TEXTILES

The supply of textiles is not adequate to the demand.

For six years, most of the world output has gone to war.

Victory has not improved the situation.

There will not be enough textiles in Canada for many months to come.

HERE ARE SOME OF THE REASONS



Canada depends largely on other sources for raw materials and for some yarns and fabrics.



A serious manpower shortage still confronts the textile industry of all Allied countries.



Shortages overseas must be met. It will take months before production is resumed in Europe.



Substantial quantities of all kinds of textiles are still required by occupational forces.



Domestic demand for textiles increased sharply during the war. It is still going up.



Civilian clothing needs of returning servicemen and women are swelling the demand here at home.

CONSERVATION IS THE KEYNOTE

This year, production directives have again been issued to the textiles industry.

They are intended to divert output to more essential goods.

But directives alone cannot cure a situation arising from world conditions.

The answer lies in conservation. More than ever, the need is to conserve, to take care of what there is, to mend, make-over and make-do.

TO PROVIDE CANADIAN WOMEN with guidance and practical assistance in maintaining the family wardrobe, the Board has prepared a series of advertisements, to assist Canadian women. Each subsequent advertisement will illustrate tested ways of styling new and fashionable clothing from outgrown and outmoded garments. For valuable hints on style, economy and CONSERVATION, watch these columns.

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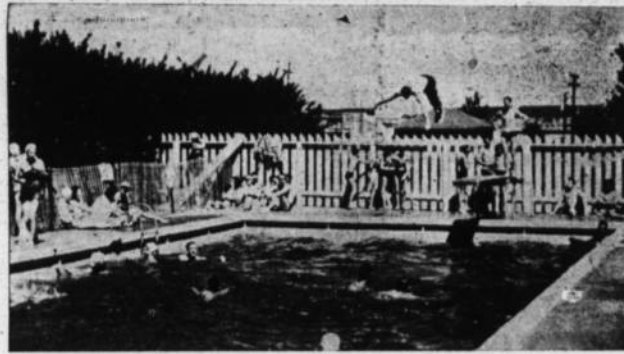
Get in the Swim--Support the Vulcan & District Memorial Swimming Pool

Objective--- \$10,000

Do not wait for a canvasser. Make it a point to contact any member of the Vulcan Lions Club to-day. **MAKE YOUR DONATION NOW!**

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Donations made to the Vulcan and District Memorial Swimming Pool may be deducted from Income Tax under Sec. 5 (j) or (jj) of the Income War Tax Act. **GIVE GENEROUSLY!**



Cereal Smuts, Etc.

In January, 1944, we announced our intention to offer to farmers a seed examination service including consideration of disease and weed seeds as well as of germination. We have devoted the past year and a half to studying methods and securing the necessary equipment and will be ready to proceed with the work this fall. Ours is the only laboratory in Canada offering a service of this kind. Besides making tests for smut and mechanical damage to seeds, we shall examine all samples coming out of the germ-inators for disease symptoms and advise respecting seed treatment accordingly. This service is provided without charge.

It is very important that farmers inspect their own fields and, if doubtful about the type of smut present, send a sample direct to Line Elevators Farm Service, Winnipeg, or take it to a local Line Elevator agent who will forward it to us for identification.

Losses caused by cereal smuts are very great and, with the exceptions of loose smut of wheat and true loose smut of barley, they can be controlled with comparatively little trouble and expense.

Ask your local Line Elevator agent for a leaflet dealing more fully with this subject in which the various smuts are described.

ARROWWOOD

Miss Margaret Williams spent the week-end at Lethbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oberholzer and family spent a few days at Banff.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Mackie and Mrs. Allan Phillips were Strathmore visitors on Thursday.

Grade X students passing into Grade XI are Donald Shatto and Ronald Thompson.

Miss Freda Board spent the week end at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. Board.

Mrs. Tonnar and daughter Mrs. Fisher and two grandchildren visited her niece Mrs. Lincoln Stull.

Misses Ethelyn and Adella Beagle were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Culp.

Mr. Mair of the Bank of Nova Scotia spent the week-end with his wife and family at Calgary.

Mrs. R. McBride and son Donald, Miss Ellis House, Mrs. Tannar, Mrs. Fisher and two small children all accompanied Mrs. McBride's brother to Gardiner, Oregon.

The district is pleased to welcome back Private Gordon Bogstie of the C.D.C. After receiving his discharge he took a position at Gleichen.

The district is pleased to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Culp who are taking up residence here in the

bride's gown was of embroidered sheer with floor length veil. She carried a bouquet of pink roses. The bride's sister, Miss Ellis House was bridesmaid and was also in white. The groom was attended by Corporal Bruce Allan. A reception was held in the evening when guests were present. Mr. and Mrs. Parker left for a honeymoon at Creston, B.C.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Social Credit group sponsored a pleasant evening on Saturday night in their hall for Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Richards. After some community singing, accompanied by Mrs. Hurley Williams and Mrs. Allen Phillips, a gift and purse were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Richards by Mrs. Harold Williams with a short speech expressing the good wishes of the community. Mr. and Mrs. Richards gratefully acknowledged the gifts and good wishes. Afterwards a fine lunch was served by the group.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. R. E. Hill who was called to Calgary by the sudden death of her sister Mrs. R. Scaratt. Surviving are her husband, Reginald, two sons, R. Q. M. S., W. N. Scaratt, of Victoria, B. C., and Staff Capt. L. R. Scaratt, in Holland; two daughter, Mrs. James McCoubrey, Shawinigan Falls, Que., and Mary at home; also three sisters, Mrs. Hugh McPhail, Tisdale, Sask., Mrs. S. Tem-

pleton, Winnipeg and Mrs. R. S. Hill, Arrowwood, apartments above the former Hesketh store.

A farewell party was given Mr. and Mrs. Shatto and Donald on Thursday night at which much regret at their leaving was expressed by their many friends.

Mr. E. Jacques returned Thursday from a trip to Calgary accompanied by Mrs. Jacques' niece, Mrs. John Cushing of Berea, Ohio and her small daughter, Marilyn.

Miss Dorothy Jean Jones went up to Calgary, Friday taking her sister, Mrs. Norman Jacques and small daughter Jo Ann home. She was also accompanied by Mrs. K. G. Thring.

Congratulations are being extended to all of the Grade XI class at the school here in passing into Grade XII. Their names are Adella Beagle, Elva Ekeland, Odell Henry and Ellis House.

Mr. Gaylen Jones went up to Calgary, Friday to bring back Mrs. Jones, their two daughters, Mrs. Norman Jacques and Miss Dorothy Jean Jones and small granddaughter Jo Ann Jacques. Mrs. Jones is now convalescing, we are pleased to report.

On Friday, Aug. 24th, Miss Doris House, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darwin House was married to Corporal Donald Parker at the home of her parents. The

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Tender will be received by the Company at its office in the Loughheed Building, Calgary, up to 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, September 15th, 1945.

Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Quebec City Becomes Two-Way Repatriation Centre



STRATHEDEN FIRST IN: Quebec City started on July 30 to share with Halifax as a repatriation centre for Canadian servicemen coming back from the German War and British civilians and child war guests returning to the Old Country. First troopship to dock at the Wolfe's Cove pier which the Canadian Pacific built for its famous Empress of Britain was the Stratheden (top) with happy airmen and soldiers being despatched from

there to their homes all over Canada in C.P.R. special trains (bottom left) on July 31. On August 1 the other side of the picture was presented when the first boat train for Quebec since the outbreak of war left the C.P.R.'s Windsor Station in Montreal with passengers including the British children (bottom right), among them the lad on the extreme left taking home his Canadian hockey sticks.

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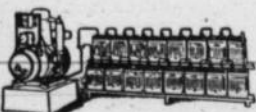


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Pure Lemon Extract, ...	4 ozs. 29c
Rogers Syrup	5's, 59c
Cowan's Cocoa, ...	1's, 25c
Campbell's Tomato Soup, ...	3 for 29c
Glo Coat Floor Wax, ...	qt. 98c
Old English Floor Wax, ...	qt. 89c
Puffed Wheat, ...	bushel bag, 29c
Red Rose Coffee, ...	3 lb. tin, \$1.25

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ORANGES—	SWEET POTATOES—
252s, doz.	47c
288s, 2 doz.	79c
344s, 3 doz.	98c
VINEGAR—White or Malt, 160 oz. jug	98c
ONIONS—Silver Skin, for pickling, 2 lbs.	33c
CERTO—	JELLY GLASSES—
8 oz. bottle	25c
GEM JARS—	SOUP—Red & White
Med., doz.	\$1.33
Large, doz.	\$1.79
GEM METAL RINGS—	CAKE FLOUR, Swansdown
doz.	29c
GEM GLASS TOPS—	MACARONI—
doz.	25c
PEAS—Prairie Maid, 20 oz. size, 2 tins	25c

Brief Items of Local Interest

Better Gas For Motorists

Right on the heels of the order that lifted gasoline restrictions came word that higher octane gasoline will be supplied by the oil companies. This will be available just as soon as war-time gasoline is used up and perhaps earlier.

Officials of the Alberta Motor Association expressed their delight over this information because the organization has been pressing for some time for a higher quality product. It had made strong representations to the federal authorities, contending that with the large supply of lead in Canada, a gasoline of higher octane rating, giving more "pep" to cars and better mileage on fuel, should be supplied.

Post-War Budget May Be Lower

A large Victory Loan campaign will go forward this fall, in order to take care of the period of reconversion to peace time basis.

It is predicted however, that there may be a reduction in income tax for those whose earnings are small. The expectation is that higher exemptions may be given than the present exemption of \$660 for single persons and \$1200 for married.

Another tax which might hamper business of post-war years if it were not reduced is the heavy excess profits tax. Reduction on this would permit expansion of business which has not been possible. There may also be a lightening of certain sales tax.

General Foster Advises Troops

Addressing the officers and men of the 2nd Canadian Infantry Brigade, Major General Harry W. Foster told the troops to be prepared to make great adjustments to fit into the home scene when they returned to Canada. He pointed out that they were widely travelled men returning with a broader outlook than the home folks and suggested that it was not Canada, but they, who had changed and that they be prepared to bring themselves into tune with the country.

He asked the men to "stay loyal to the firm"; to retain the comradeship of army life by sticking to the Legion. "The Canadian army built a real Canadian outlook which stood off provincial prejudices and had no time to worry about race and religion," he said. "Let's all carry that home."

WEDDING BELLS

Grout - Greenfield

The Pro-Cathedral church in Calgary was the scene of a quiet wedding August 20 when Florence Rosamond, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Greenfield of Mossleigh, became the bride of W/O William Henry Grout, RCAF, eldest son of Mr. Wm. and Grace Grout of Vancouver, B.C. The ceremony was performed by Very Rev. Dean Smye, Dean of Calgary before an altar banked with ferns and gladioli.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white brocade sheer over satin. Her long veil of embroidered tulle was caught in a coronet of orange blossoms and she carried a shower bouquet of roses and sweetpeas tied with white streamers. Miss Ruth Greenfield, sister of the bride and Miss Elsie Thompson of Badger Lake, Alta., were bridesmaids, gowned in long gowns of pink sheer with coronets of pink tulle and flowers and carried bouquets of gladioli and carnations. The bridegroom's brother, Mr. Fred Grout of Medicine Hat was best man. The wedding march was played by the church organist.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Empress Grill for forty guests. The bride's table was centred with a three tier wedding cake flanked by tall white tapers and bouquets of sweetpeas and asters. Major Gainer gave the toast to the bride, responded to by the groom; the best man gave the toast to the bridesmaids.

Mr. and Mrs. Grout left Monday evening for Vancouver and Victoria. For travelling the bride wore a grey suit with old rose hat and accessories. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Grout will make their home in Vancouver.

W/O Grout after 5 1/2 years service recently returned from overseas where he had finished his tour of operations with the RAF.

Miss Ruth Hansell of Calgary spent the long week-end at the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Hansell.

The many friends here of Donald Greene, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Greene, now of High River and formerly residents here, will be pleased to learn that he has returned home from overseas after four years with the R.C.A.F.

Mrs. Marie Dahl, who is visiting in the district, is spending the week in Calgary.

Support the Vulcan and District Memorial Swimming Pool with a generous donation.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin McIntyre accompanied by Lyle Sales were holiday visitors to Calgary where they attended the Model "I" races on Labor Day.

A large number of friends of the Sunrise Gospel Singers heard daily over a Calgary station gathered in the local theatre Sunday evening when the Singers held services and sang.

Miss Betty Wiersma, of the C.W. A.C., left last Friday for Kingston, Ont., after spending a two weeks' furlough at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Bittorf and son Donald, of Edmonton, are holiday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Peters.

Mrs. Kelly McLean and son Jerry of Calgary are guests this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Russel Graham recently, a son, at the local hospital.

Mrs. Jack Lucas spent the week-end at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Smolek, at Fernie, B.C.

The wedding of Oneta Barbara, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rutberg, Vulcan, and William H. Girling, second son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Girling, Calgary, took place at the home of Rev. A. R. Huband, Fri. Aug. 31.

The Foothills Health Unit will hold their regular pre-school clinic in the Vulcan United Church, on Tuesday, September 11, from 1.30 to 4 p.m.

Sgt. Ronnie Marshall is home after four years of service overseas in the RCAF as a Radar mechanic. He was met in Calgary by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Marshall.

Lac Lloyd Clark M. Clark spent the early part of the week at his home here leaving Thursday for Vancouver, where he expects to receive his discharge shortly and enter the University of British Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lowe of Calgary were recent guests at the W. W. Clarkson home.

Mrs. E. Pederson and three children of Medicine Hat are guests at the E. G. McPherson home.

Mr. David McIntyre left on Saturday for a holiday at the Pacific coast where he will be a guest at the Gordon McIntyre home.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd McKay are congratulating them on the birth of a daughter on Saturday, Sept. 1. Mrs. McKay was before her marriage Miss Helen Craig.

K. Roy McLean, Optometrist, 1015 Southam Bldg., will be at Vulcan Tuesday afternoon, September 18th at the King Drug Store.

Give generously to the Vulcan and District Memorial Swimming Pool to-day.

There is no question about it. The safest boundaries between nations are friendships which have no bounds.

GAS RETAILERS TO STAY OPEN EVENINGS AND SUNDAYS

At a recent meeting of the Gasoline Retailers of Vulcan, the following resolution was passed: "All gasol. ne pumps are to close at 7 p.m. on week days, except Saturdays, with the further exception of one station to be elected which may stay open until 10 p.m. and must remain open all day on public holidays and Sundays: the hours for Sundays and holidays to be from 9.0 a.m. to 12 noon; 1.00 p.m. until 6.00 p.m. and from 7.00 p.m. until 10 p.m."

The garage to be open for the week commencing Sunday, Sep. 9 will be:
Central Garage

Vulcan and District SWIMMING POOL

Sponsored by The Vulcan Lions Club

This is quite a large undertaking, we trust you will support this worthy project generously. Their main object is to give to the Boys and Girls of this district a much wanted form of Recreation.

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NEWS OF INTEREST

Total sales of surplus aircraft aero engines and airplanes equipment by War Assets Corporation to date have totalled more than \$3,500,000. This includes the sales of 668 aircraft, 345 to buyers in Canada and 323 outside the Dominion.

The Alberta government has announced that it will give a grant from \$800 to \$1,000 to Alberta veterinary students attending the Guelph College. To qualify for the grant, students must have been residents in Alberta for three

years prior to enrollment and must successfully complete each college term. There are now only thirty-six practising veterinarians in this province.

Radios have moved from seventh to third place, following automobiles and refrigerators in the list of "big" purchases which Canadians plan to make after the war. In a recent survey, 42% of the people polled said they intend to buy a radio after the war.

Members of the Royal Norwegian Air Force stationed near Gravenhurst have been marrying Canadian girls, and 30 Canadian wives have gone over to live in Norway.